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In reply to the Non-Final Office Action dated September 4, 2008, Applicants submit the Remarks shown below. A three-month extension of time is required and hereby requested. The three-month extension fee (\$1110) have been paid by credit card with the filing of this response. It is not believed that any petitions or additional fees are required beyond those provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional petitions and / or fees are due with this response, such petitions are hereby made and the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to deduct any additional fees (including fees for the net addition of claims) from Deposit account No. 50-3994.

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